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72 inch Extra Quality Bleached Scotch Damask—69c value—

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100 dozen 20x40 Extra Quality Undressed Irish Hemmed Huck Towels—15c value—

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Visit our final clearing sale of furniture and housefurnishings. There are many money-saving opportunities now that will not be offered again for another year. We are selling Parlor Suites, Bedroom Suites, Lamps, etc., at

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Every Baby Carriage, every yard of Mattings, and all Ref. and Ice Chests are being cleared away at dollars less than actual factory cost. We are determined to clear these floors for new goods—no matter what the loss—what you need—pay the bill weekly or monthly. No notes—no interest.

GROGAN'S

Mammoth Credit House.

817, 819, 821, 823 7th Street N. W.

Between H and I.

\$20 Sets of \$5.00

Teeth for—

Teeth extracted without pain by our own process. See Gold Bridge, \$1 up. Amalgam, \$2.50. Gold Crown, \$3.50. Our work is guaranteed. Electrical appliances in use.

PHILADELPHIA DENTAL PARLORS

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OPEN SUNDAYS FROM 10 TO 12.

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Superior Cabinet Mosaic Tint Photo. FAIRHILL, 20 7th St. N. W.

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KING'S PALACE.

612-814 7th St. 715 Market Space.

Crowns and Bridge Work

Inserted to restore the mouth perfectly, at specially low prices, and guaranteed.

THE EVANS DENTAL PARLORS

1200 F St. N. W.

Branch office, 211 4½ St. N. W.

A 10c Granite Offering.

5c GRANITE COFFEE POT, 10c. 10c GRANITE PAN, 10c. 10c GRANITE SUGAR BOWL, 10c. Ten cents buys twenty-five cents' worth here for the next two days. They're special—no rush for them!

Hudson's Variety Store

425 SEVENTH ST.

Remember!

The Boston Baking Co.

are baking the Best Bread

In Town, and are the originators of the most deliciously popular Long Loaf, GRAMMA and Square Loaf OLD HOMESTEAD.

Like all GOOD things, these are being limited as to quantity, but the QUALITY is in every loaf. See that our label is on every loaf.

Your grocer sells it.

A Vernal's Long Walk.

Greenville, Pa., Aug. 15.—Weary of waiting for the War Department to grant him a pension, G. W. Moore, of Jackson township, aged seventy-one years, has walked to Washington and personally interviewed the Commissioner of Pensions. Moore served for three years in the First Regiment, United States Mechanical Engineers, and in 1888 applied for a pension. His name was placed on the war record as W. G. Moore, the initials being transposed, and for that reason the pension was not granted. On his long journey to the Capital Moore passed through Pittsburgh, Greensburg, and the Cumberland Valley. He had but 12 cents when he started. On the way he camped by the roadside at night and begged his food. When he reached Washington he was almost homeless. He was rewarded with \$10 per month and back pay amounting to \$675. With his back pay he has purchased a small farm near Jackson Centre and there expects to end his days.

THE BOYCOTT OF A SINGER

A Church Choir Sympathizes With the Cleveland Strikers.

The Offending Member Works for the Street Railway Company and Rides on Its Cars—Ministers Who Patronize the Same Lines Are Also Placed Under the Ban.

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 15.—The boycott on the Big Consolidated Street Railroad lines is beginning to lose its force. The Euclid, Cedar, and Wade Park Avenue lines, running to the East End, are well patronized at present and travel is increasing slowly on the lines running to Newburg and the South Side, though thousands of people are still riding in "busses."

The action of the leading business men, about 400 of whom have already signed the anti-boycott resolution recently adopted, is having its effect in releasing individuals from the ban of the boycott, though some cases of individual oppression are still reported. Out in Newburg the feeling is bitter.

Miss Abbott, a clerk in the office of the Big Consolidated, sings in the choir of the Grace Episcopal Church, in Newburg. She rides on Big Consolidated cars. The other members of the choir have announced that they will refuse to sing unless she leaves the church. Miss Abbott says she will not leave, and it remains to be seen what the boycotters will do.

Last Sunday the Rev. Mr. Fall, Chaplain of the Bethel Chapel, rode out to Newburg to supply the pulpit of the Miles Park M. E. Church, the pastor of which is away on his vacation. When Mr. Fall arose to speak several members of the congregation left the church. Afterward they notified the minister not to return for evening service.

William Ward, who is seventy-five years of age, was to deliver an address at the Broadway M. E. Church. He had ridden on the boycotted cars. When he arose before the audience he said the church and the choir refused to sing if Mr. Ward was permitted to speak. The address was not delivered.

A TINY CUBAN HEROINE.

She Supports Her Family by Cutting and Sewing Wood.

Brooklyn, Aug. 15.—The Rev. Horace Porter, who has gone to Cuba to see for himself the condition of the people, has had his first experience with some of the heroines of that afflicted island, which disproves the assertion sometimes made that they are unwilling to work, or are selfish to each other.

Upon the first morning after his arrival at Ceiba Mocha, where William Willard Howard has his relief headquarters, there came along a tiny girl to buy a cent's worth of soap at the "relief grocery." Mr. Howard questioned this child and related the answers to Mr. Porter, answers which were afterward corroborated by investigation.

The child was five years old and had no mother. She had a father, who had a swollen leg—a legacy of the yellow fever. The father was unable to earn a cent, even if he had a horse. He had a hospital more than work. The child had a sister, apparently eight or ten years old. The sister supported the family by going out to a neighbor's hillside and cutting wood, which she carried into the town on her head and sold for 10 cents a load. There was no wonder, then, that the family could buy only a cent's worth of soap at a time and 2 cents' worth of rice, and yet this woodcutting child, with an invalid father and sister to support, had taken in and was caring for a homeless orphan child.

A little later Mr. Porter was taken out to see some of the ruins of the farmhouses and abandoned farms, and poor people living in the ruins.

"A mile outside of Ceiba Mocha," writes Mr. Porter, "we dismounted at a farmhouse where a widow had made a beginning in cultivating the land. She had four sons of various ages, five daughters, and a niece. All were neat and clean, and away above the average in intelligence. They told us their experiences and reconcentrados in Ceiba Mocha during the yellow fever concentration. For three months they had nothing to eat except a little corn and a few sweet potatoes. They are as happy as larks now at being able to support themselves."

VENEZUELAN CUSTOMS TARIFF.

Changes Which Affect Articles Sent From This Country.

Consul Plummer, of Maracaibo, sends translation of recent changes in the custom-house tariff of Venezuela, as follows:

The importation through the custom-houses of Venezuela of every kind of revolvers and rifles for sale is permitted, under the requirements of article 5 of the customs tariff, provided that the importer is a resident of the country.

Revolvers will pay on entrance the duties applicable to articles of the eighth class, and the cartridges of articles of the sixth class.

The merchandise hereinafter specified will, on entrance through the custom-houses of the republic, be appraised in the following form:

White printing paper, without glue or gum, imported in No. 22, will be placed in the third class, and will pay 15% of the value of 1 dollar (25 cents) per kilogram (2.2046 pounds).

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"Hechts' Greater Stores."

The topic for tomorrow:

Skirts and Shirtwaists.

An interesting and newsy column of bargains.

About skirts.

Black serge skirts \$3.98.

Dust-proof and water-proof and full width and stylish at every point. Trimmed with three rows of satin bands in the new tone effect instead of 16, for \$3.98.

New grey skirts, \$3.98.

A lot of the new skirts, which will be stylish this fall with the new habit backs; they are of grey homespuns in several shades; the price is to be 15 in the fall; you may have these for \$3.98.

About shirtwaists.

Lot 1—For white waists 98c, worth up to \$2.25.

This lot consists of white India linen waists—elaborately trimmed with broderie and tucks. Some have all tucked fronts. Some are striped with embroidery and tucks. Made of the finest India linen. Sale price, 98c.

Lot 2—White waists 79c, worth up to \$1.98.

Swiss looking white India linen. All over tucked and embroidered with Swiss embroidery. Worth \$1.98. Sale price, 79c.

Hecht & Company, 513-515 Seventh Street.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The marriage of Miss Martha Shannon Haines and Mr. Herbert C. Smith will take place at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Metropolitan M. E. Church. Miss Clara Haines will be the attendant maid, and the best man will be Mr. H. C. Hooker, of Wisconsin. The ushers will be Mr. Edward La Feta, Mr. C. Lammond, Mr. H. C. Oberholzer, and the brother of the bride, Mr. N. H. Haines. The reception following the ceremony will be limited to the wedding party and immediate relatives.

Mrs. H. R. Quail has closed her visit in New England, and is now at Saratoga.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cole have gone to Newport. They will be absent a month, during which time they will also visit Boston and Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Cleaves left yesterday for Saratoga and Lake George. They will go as far north as Montreal, and on their return home will visit Governor Cleaves in Portland and other relatives in Maine.

Mrs. S. B. Craig and Mrs. Edith White, daughters of Mrs. M. S. Gist, are spending a few weeks at Asbury Park.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. McCabe, of Massachusetts Avenue, have returned from a trip to Ogden, Utah.

Mrs. Fred G. Murray, formerly Miss Beale Moore, who has been residing in Porto Rico, is now visiting her parents, 209 Sixth Street northeast.

A number of Washington visitors will attend the tournament at Clappers, Md., which will take place on the 19th and 20th inst. for the benefit of St. Rose's Church of that village, and is under the patronage of Rev. Paul Reynolds, former assistant at St. Matthew's Church, in this city.

Rear Admiral Phelps and Rear Admiral Irwin, who have spent many summers at one of the picturesque old homesteads at Annapolis, L. I., are again enjoying their vacation there together.

Senator Hanna and family, who have been abroad since the early summer, were at Geneva at last accounts.

Dr. and Mrs. John Owen Bayne and two daughters are spending the season at Nantucket, Mass. Other Washingtonians now there for a more or less extended stay include Mrs. Harrison H. Dodge, Rev. and Mrs. Wallace Radcliffe, and Mr. Jesse H. Robinson, General Superintendent of the telegraph lines of the Weather Bureau.

Mrs. I. Croxton is visiting friends in New York.

Mrs. Mendeloff, the artist, has gone to Strong Mountain to recuperate from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shillington and children are at the Brown Mansion, Gaillard, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Lane and little daughter are at Narragansett Pier, where they will remain until September.

GOAT FARMS WILL PAY.

The Demand for Skins Far Exceeds the Supply.

Wilmington, Del., Aug. 15.—Local morocco manufacturers say they are busier now and are making less money than for years. They say the price of raw material has advanced from 25 to 35 per cent, and the price of manufactured leather has increased 10 to 20 per cent. The manufacturers say the price of leather will probably be advanced. There is a scarcity of goatskins, which were formerly used only in making women's shoes, and they are now used for men's shoes also, which has caused a large demand, without the supply to meet it.

A Sweetheart's Last Call.

Easton, Pa., Aug. 15.—Llewellyn Stout, the murderer to be hanged next week, was yesterday visited by half a dozen country folk from Sauconia, where he resided. With the party was Stout's best girl.

It was told by neighbors that the date fixed for his wedding was in April, only a day or two from the date on which he was convicted. Stout spends much time reading his Bible. He has requested Rev. Paul G. Kistler to conduct a service over his remains.

Secret Meeting of Glass Men.

Greensburg, Pa., Aug. 15.—The wage committee of the Window Glass Workers' Association of the United States and the wage committee of the American Glass Company held a meeting here yesterday, but adjourned suddenly, when it was discovered that their meeting place had been found out. Just before adjournment it was agreed to meet here again today to adjust a scale, but there is no assurance of that. The committees left town, and up till late last night they could not be located.

Accident to a Tight-Rope Walker.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 15.—W. H. Hill, a tight-rope walker, fell forty feet to the ground from a wire at a "Battle of Manilla" exhibition last night, in the presence of a crowd of 4,000. A strap from which he hung by his teeth broke. His arm was broken and internal injuries will probably cause his death. He was employed by Pitman, the fireworks exhibitor. Hill is twenty years old and was married last June. His wife lives in New York and his parents in Brooklyn.

After Dinner.

Examination of Food. Asst. druggist of C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

ZIONISTS MEET AT BASLE

Three Hundred Delegates Present at an Important Gathering.

Max Nordau Expresses His Conviction That Jewish Liberty in Most Civilized Countries Hangs by a Thread—Rabbi in Attendance Clad in Garbeline and Kaftan.

New York, Aug. 15.—The "Journal" this morning prints the following despatch from Basle, Switzerland, dated yesterday: The Zionists, who are organized to devise means to establish a Jewish state in Palestine, opened their third congress here today under the presidency of Dr. Theodore Herzl, the famous Vienna author, who for years has advocated the purchase of Palestine from the Sultan of Turkey and the establishment of a new Jerusalem.

Among the three hundred delegates are many English and Americans. Dr. Max Nordau was present. A congress of Zionist women is being held simultaneously under the presidency of Mrs. Gotthelf, of New York.

Dr. Herzl's opening address was a cautious, clearly expressed statement. He declared that the importance of Emperor William's reception of the Jewish delegation at Jerusalem could hardly be overestimated. He thought it augured well for the Zionist movement.

Three rabbis from Galicia and Roshania, who were clad in garbeline and kaftan, attracted attention by their earnest cheering of Dr. Herzl.

The Russian delegation included orthodox rabbis. Almost every conceivable Jewish costume was in evidence at the congress.

The president announced that under the charter obtained from the Sultan permitting the settlement of Palestine by the Zionists they will be under Turkish sovereignty.

The appearance of Max Nordau as a speaker was a signal that applause. His energetic speech aroused very great enthusiasm.

"I have been convinced," said he, "by recent events that Jewish liberty hangs by a thread in most civilized countries, and that that thread may easily break or cut."

He said that it was of first importance to get orthodox rabbis, who are opposed to political Zionism, to have well-informed ideas on the question. Their followers do not read papers, and depend upon the rabbis for their news.

These rabbis, he declared, by their attitude made it difficult for their congregations to obtain accurate views on Zionism. He warned them against the just resentment of their dupes when they learn the truth.

Dr. Nordau attacked the wealthy Jewish opponents of Zionism.

"Our only enemies are Jews," he cried. "Because we want to liberate our people, why should our co-religionists who are capitalists refuse to assist us?"

The delegates reported that the idea of Zionism was spreading.

The congress is held in Switzerland on account of the opposition of the German Jews, who declare that they prefer to remain Germans and do not wish to go to Palestine.

A report was made to the effect that the colonies in Palestine, which were visited by Israel Zangwill, are in a flourishing condition. The Turkish Government is well and on their return home, being anxious to increase the population of hard-working persons in its territories. The Turks expect financial aid from the Zionists.

Dr. Herzl was re-elected president of the congress; Max Nordau, first vice president, and Prof. Gotthelf, second vice president. The officers of the American delegation presented to Dr. Herzl a silver-mounted gavel.

RESCUED BY A WATCHDOG.

He Directs a Searching Party to Three Lost Children.

Winsted, Conn., Aug. 15.—A faithful watch dog yesterday evening saved the lives of three little girls.

Basile Cressley, thirteen years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cressley, and Annie and Susie Bailey, five and ten years old, respectively, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. William Bailey, yesterday morning went into the outskirts of Canaan Mountain to pick berries. The children were expected home at noon, but they did not return. The parents waited until late in the afternoon, and then began a search.

The search was not abandoned until long after midnight.

Around Canaan Mountain the woods are very thick and the search was difficult at night time. At daybreak yesterday morning the searching party was joined by a dog, belonging to the Baileys, bounded through the thick underbrush.

The dog was greatly excited and upon finding the children he barked away at the top of his lungs, and then led them through the brush. A member of the party dashed after the dog. A few hundred yards further on he came upon the three little girls huddled together under the lee of a huge rock on the side of the mountain. The children were all weak from crying and hunger, but otherwise unharmed.

They had been sitting on the ground, and ever getting home again. They had spent the night huddled together, and had eaten up all their berries. They had wandered for miles in the woods, and were very tired and hungry.

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